#### **Conservation District Phone/Fax Numbers**

Conservation	Phone Phone	ax Numbei
Abbeville	(864) 459-5419	(864) 459-4467
Aiken	(803) 649-4221	(803) 643-8633
Allendale	(803) 584-4234	(803) 584-1304
Anderson	(864) 224-2126	(864) 224-8914
Bamberg	(803) 245-4311	(803) 245-0054
Barnwell	(803) 259-7144	(803) 259-2400
Beaufort	(843) 522-8100	(843) 522-0585
Berkeley	(843) 719-4146	(843) 719-4207
Calhoun	(803) 874-3337	(803) 874-2820
Charleston	(843) 727-4160	(843) 727-4541
Cherokee	(864) 489-7150	(043) 727 4341
Chester	(803) 581-1908	(803) 581-0852
Chesterfield	(843) 623-2187	(843) 623-2311
Clarendon	(803) 435-2612	(803) 435-2786
Colleton	(843) 549-1821	(843) 549-6001
Darlington	(843) 393-0483	(843) 395-1408
Dillon	(843) 774-8641	(843) 774-2328
Dorchester	(843) 563-3218	(843) 563-3099
Edgefield	(803) 637-3220	(803) 637-5715
Fairfield	(803) 815-4831	(803) 815-4831
Florence	(843) 669-9686	(843) 665-8284
Georgetown	(843) 546-7808	(843) 546-2243
Greenville	(864) 467-2755	(864) 467-7518
Greenwood	(864) 229-3004	(864) 229-2845
Hampton	(803) 943-2586	(803) 943-5743
Horry	(843) 365-7923	(843) 365-6650
Jasper	(843) 726-7611	(843) 726-3263
Kershaw	(803) 432-2576	(803) 432-5931
Lancaster	(803) 286-4455	(803) 286-5598
Laurens	(864) 984-6921	(864) 984-4033
Lee	(803) 484-6325	(803) 484-6554
Lexington	(803) 359-3165	(803) 359-7506
Marion	(843) 423-1742	(843) 423-0337
Marlboro	(843) 479-4552	(843) 479-8386
McCormick	(864) 852-2594	
Newberry	(803) 276-1978	(803) 276-7887
Oconee	(864) 638-2213	(864) 718-7750
Orangeburg	(803) 534-2409	(803) 536-5827
Pickens	(864) 878-6155	(864) 878-5781
Richland	(803) 576-2080	(803) 576-2088
Saluda	(864) 445-8118	(864) 445-7573
Spartanburg	(864) 814-2471	(864) 814-4773
Sumter	(803) 905-7650	(803) 905-7651
Union	(864) 429-2801	
Williamsburg	(843) 354-9621	(843) 354-5463
York	(803) 684-3137	(803) 628-0069

#### 2012 Dates to Remember...

January 27th - Training Registration Deadline

February 4th - Coaches' Training

April 13th - Team Registration Deadline

May 4th - State Competition

# Educational and Fun



Members of the 2011 state winning team from Spartanburg High at the North American Envirothon competition held in New Brunswick, Canada. The team placed third overall, first in the nation and tied with New Brunswick for 1st in Soils! Photo courtesy of Canon Envirothon.

Action oriented students making a difference in the environment.

The SC Envirothon Program prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, gender, color, national origin, religion, disability or age.

2012 Coaches' Training Registration Form



Accept the Natural Challenge

Saturday February 4th, 2012 Sandhill Center, Columbia

## What is the Envirothon?

The Envirothon is North America's largest high school environmental competition. It is a hands-on outdoor competition geared for teaching 9-12th grade students about the environment and natural resources. Teams of between 3 and 5 students are tested on their knowledge of aquatics, forestry, soils, wildlife, a current environmental issue and an oral presentation. The topic for the 2012 competition is *Nonpoint Source Pollution/Low Impact Development*.

# What the Envirothon Does...

The Envirothon builds awareness. It is designed to help the leaders of tomorrow learn both sides of environmental issues so that they can make informed decisions. Concepts such as renewable versus non-renewable resources are stressed, as are the interdependence and interaction of ecosystems. The learning objectives outlined for each study area meet numerous state curriculum standards in Science, Social Studies, Economics and English.

### How to get Involved...

If you are a teacher, scout troop or environmental club leader with students that are interested in participating, you can contact your local Soil and Water Conservation District for additional information about the program. Districts can be found in the phone book under county government, or you can reference the list on the back panel of this brochure. Many districts of the state will sponsor Envirothon teams at the \$100 registration level.

All team leaders, or coaches, are invited to attend a free one-day training held in February each year. This training will prepare coaches with some of the materials needed to teach the team members what will be covered on the exams at the competition. Coaches are not required to register a team prior to the training, so if you are merely looking for more information before committing, you can attend and decide afterwards.

The training provided will be mainly handson and will include tree and soil identification. The training, just like the competition, will be held rain or shine. Information will be posted to the SC Envirothon web pages as it becomes available at

www.dnr.sc.gov/education/Envirothon .

### Coaches' Training Registration Form

Complete this form and mail to Marc Cribb at PO Box 167 Columbia, SC 29202 by January 27, 2012.

Name		
School Name & Address		
School Tel #		
Home or Cell#		
Email		
T-Shirt Size		
Lunch will be provided for participants. Please indicate a meal preference:		
Regular		
Vegetarian		